

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

Zhu et al.

Serial No.:

10/709,129

For:

METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING A FINFET USING A

CONVENTIONAL WAFER AND APPARATUS MANUFACTURED

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**Quoc Dinh Hoang** 

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Attorney Docket No.: FIS920030413

**Mail Stop Amendment COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS** P.O. Box 1450 **Alexandria, VA 22313-1450** 

Dear Sir:

## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated March 9, 2006 in the above-identified application.

Petition	for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby
made if, and to	the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to
be \$	to extend the time for filing this response until

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

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Independent Claims	4	Minus	3	1	x \$200.00	\$
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TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						\$200.00
1/2 FILING FEE	FOR SMALL ENT	ITY				\$N/A

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ _200.00
A check in the amount of \$ is attached.
X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$200.00 and any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to <b>Deposit Account No. 09-0458</b> . A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.
June 7, 2006 (Karly Cuffle)
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### **AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006, Applicants respond as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of the Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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